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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING FORCE FEEDBACK USING MULTIPLE  
GROUNDED ACTUATORS

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Applicants submit this request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 for the above-identified application.

[x] Please consider the following submission(s) required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

- ☐ Reply and Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on
- ☐ The arguments in the Appeal Brief and/or Reply Brief previously filed on
- ☐ The enclosed Reply and Amendment in response to the Advisory Action mailed
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal, Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08 with copies of (18) cited references provided on CD
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Other:

[x] Also enclosed is:

- ☒ Return receipt postcard
- ☒ A filing fee in the amount of \$770.00 as calculated below is included in the attached check.
- ☐ An Assertion of Entitlement to Small Entity Status was submitted previously.
- ☐ Other:

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	NO. OF CLAIMS	CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE APR 22 2004 OFFICE OF PETITIONS
Total Claims	37	- = 37	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	- = 5	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims not previously presented, add \$290.00					
Total Amendment Fee					\$0.00
Continued Examination Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) of \$770.00					\$770.00
If small entity status is applicable, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee and Continued Examination Fee					
Other fees:					\$0.00
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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